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SUBJECT: RAUL ROA GARCIA (S)
IS - CUBAClassified by 05 RMB/GCL
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the UN, IS - CUBA." (S)

Source advised on 9/27/65, that on instant date he attempted to see a friend, [redacted] who, according to the source, is in contact with CIA, but learned that [redacted] had departed for Italy on Sunday evening, 9/26/65. [redacted] told source that MARTA JIMENEZ (a member of the ROA Delegation to the UN) had called and said she had a letter and some cigars for [redacted] from ROLANDO (CUBELA). Source explained that CUBELA was a former "comandante" and a former student leader at the University of Havana who in the past while in Europe had been in contact with CIA. (S)

On 9/28/65, [redacted] advised that OSCAR GUTIERREZ (3rd Secretary) from the Cuban Mission to the UN and another unidentified male delivered the aforementioned cigars and letter to [redacted] on the afternoon of 9/27/65, at which time source was present. He met GUTIERREZ, and in casual conversation he "learned" that the Foreign Minister (ROA) was in New York and would address the UN General Assembly. (S)

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Source expressed considerable interest and inquired if GUTIERREZ could arrange for source to hear ROA's speech. GUTIERREZ said that the number of visitors is restricted, but that he would try to obtain a pass for source to hear ROA's address. (S)

Source related that CUBELA, in his letter to [redacted] requested [redacted] to obtain 2 books, "Cardiovascular Surgery" and "Conn Curren Therapy" which he needed in his work and to send them back with MARTA. Source explained that CUBELA is a surgeon, and believed to be a director in a hospital in Havana. (S) 7-15

1C Source subsequently advised on 9/28/65, that he had placed a call to [redacted] in Milan, Italy, to inform him about the above-mentioned letter from CUBELA and was instructed by [redacted] to immediately send the letter to one WILLIAM THOMPSON, Post Office Box 7224, Apex Station, Washington, D. C. According to the source, CUBELA, in addition to his request for the aforementioned books, said in his letter "I imagine you have been in Europe. In this month, I think there is a possibility of some business. I imagine that you have seen CARRILLO." (S) 7-15

Source advised that he did not know the significance of the above, nor did [redacted] volunteer any information. (S) 7-15

Source intends to attempt to contact ROA through the CMUN, possibly tomorrow (9/29/65) using his chance meeting with GUTIERREZ as the basis for his knowledge of ROA's presence in New York. (S)

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